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Part B for July 27

SUBJECT

payment of royalty on the installation and distribution of lights in Cubbon Road

2 To, The Municipal Commr thro' the President, Cantt. Municipality
No C 07350/d 12 2 27

States that the request of the Municipality to relieve them of the entire charge on account of the lights in question cannot be granted

July 27

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From the Municipal Comr Bangalore, letter dated the 2nd/4th August 1926 forwards copy of the Proceedings of the City Municipal Council held on 10.7.26 and states for reasons assigned that 2/3rd of the Royalty on the 54 lights in the Cubbon Park may be paid by the Govt, the other 1/3 being paid by the Municipality Submitted It is seen that the Royalty and by the Municipality on the 54 lights in the Cubbon Park amounts to Rs 1800-00 annum for reasons assigned the the Municipality requests sanction to the payment of 2/3 of the Royalty viz Rs 1200-00 by the Govt and the remaining 1/3 of the Royalty viz, Rs 600-00 by the Municipality

2) Kind attention is invited to G O no G 1090-3, G — 60-26-2 dated the 3rd August 1926 in the matter of the installation of 28 ornamental lights in the Cubbon Park. The difference of Royalty referred to therein debitable to "Gen admn" will be intimated to Mr Hume by the Chief Electrical Engineer after lights are installed & service started

(Please see enclosed file) K

3) The letter of the Mcl Commr may perhaps be sent to the Chief Elect'l Engr for remarks. It refers to the lights before the installation of the Ornamental ones was ordered, in accordance with proposals received in July 26 from the C E E

4 What proportion of the normal cost of these lights

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M&K 11.8.26

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shd be borne by the Gardens dept and what portion by the Municipality is a matter to be decided between the Local Govt Section and the Gardens Section

5) The excess over the normal charge has been agreed to be borne by the Genl Admn & no further orders are required on this point

6) File may be sent to L G Br

MD
18/8

The Supt L G Br
(with compliments)

JH
16.8.26

I From the Municipal Commrs letter it is not clear under whose authority the distribution of existing lights and installation of additional to electric lights were executed and why the Municipal Council have agreed to pay 1/3 of the royalty when in view of the fact that the whole of the Cubbon Park including the Band Stand is not in charge of the City Municipal Council

2 If approved the above information can be called for from the Municipal Comr

to Supt Lalbagh
26/8/26

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4 draft is sent for appl

27/8/26

12th personal hearing

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Letter No 4783 dt 2-9-26 to the Revd Comr, Bloreabz.

requests calls for certain information on the matter

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Letter No. 18836 / 27 from the Revd Comr, Bangalore abz

requires information on the points required

4t Repairing 45 light, it is stated that prior to the introduction of electric lights in the Bangalore abz, the abz muthy were maintaining 47 Kerosene lights in Cubbon Park, and that these were subsequently replaced by 45 Electric lights and that the muthy is paying Rs a royalty Rs 30/- per light

16 Re 9 lgs. of high Candlepower, it is noted that these lamps were installed and the power changed from time to time at the instance of the Govt. the Private Secy to His Highness and the Superintendent, Govt farm, that the Cost of maintenance is being recovered from the muthy without Commuting the muthy

If In view of the fact that these lights are installed in a localty over which the Dept has no control and that the majority of the lights are intended for safe-guarding the

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Rebutted for orders vide ref
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ting 24)

1) There are 5 lights on the Custom Bank for which the Naval pay to the Electric Supply Rs1800/- per annum. The Naval say that the Bank is not in charge of the Naval & the lights are intended more for the use of the Customs buildings & so they want part to pay 2/3rds of the cost. The Naval pay the balance

(2) In their letter of 10/1/27, the Commr himself says that 45 lights were put up (the place of 6) Kerosene lights which were being till then maintained by the Naval & that 5 lights of 100 Candle power alone were since put up in & around the Naval stores. The Govt accordg to this. They can claim Concession only for 5 new lights.

My view is to be taken for No 2184-6/Mk 108-17-1 & 107 1927, that the Naval is to pay the Electric

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both sides of the question the
subpara (1) of the reads [illegible]
Mr Dewar for The [illegible] reasons
Mr [illegible] simply because they have
no control over the area cannot be
accepted They may perhaps be
informed accordingly

Dewan) 15/1

20 It is not possible to accept the contention
that because Cubbon Park is not under
the control of the municipal Council they should be
exempted from paying for the lights
installed there The very fact that the
oil lamps [illegible] in the park were
hand fed by the municipality before
electric lights were installed here is against
this contention The Cubbon Park is one
of the amenities of the city [illegible] which
it is the duty of the city Corporation to
maintain and the fact that Govt
is relieving the municipality of a part
of the cost of maintaining the park is no
reason for the [illegible] charging charges
also being borne by Govt [illegible]
[illegible]

Dewan) 20/1/27

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
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2 Letter No L56508/12 2 27 to Chief Secy,
Police Cdg

Sir, I am directed to state that Govt regret that the request of the Railway Board for the entire charge on account of the electric lights in Quetta so as to enable them to utilise the amount for installing lights in other parts of the city or to grant them any contribution in this respect cannot be sanctioned

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11654 No GPo 26 Enc 1 Sketch 1 Copy of Prel. Office of the City Municipal Council

Bangalore City Dated 2nd August 1926

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- 7 AUG 1926

From

B T KESAVAIENGAR Esq B A

Municipal Commissioner Municipal Council

Bangalore City

GE & REV SECTT. ER 6 AUG. 1926 G.D SECTION

B Nagappa Esq, Bar-at-law,
Secretary to Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
Local & Legislative Departments,
Bangalore

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith for your kind perusal a copy of the sketch showing the distribution of - electric lights of 40 to 60 candle power and of 100 candle power in the Cubbon Park, received, on requisition from this Office, from the Superintendent, Bangalore Power and Lighting, with his letter No 850 dated 20th March 1926 It may be seen therefrom that 9 lights of 100 candle power are installed around the Band Stand and 45 of 60 candle power distributed in the Cubbon Park area The Electric Department levy an annual charge of Rs 50/- per light of 100 candles power and Rs 30/- per light of 40 to 60 candle power The total annual cost on account of these 54 lights in this area is Rs 1,800/- The whole of the Park including the Band Stand is not in charge of the Municipality but entirely -- under the supervision of the Superintendent, Government Gardens The Municipal Council consider that the lights are intended for the use of the Public Buildings viz, such as the Secretariat, Public Library, Century Club &c In view of the foregoing facts, the Municipal Council have, at the meeting held on the 10th July 1926, resolved that the Gove -ment should be requested to pay 2/3 of the royalty in respect of these 54 lights in the Cubbon Park, the other 1/3 being paid by the Municipality A copy of the resolution is herewith submitted for kind reference I request you therefore to be so good as to obtain sanction of Govern

for

for the contribution of 2/3 share of royalty referred to above at an early date

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

/ Municipal Commissioner

Forwarded with compliments

Honorary President

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY MUNCIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON 10TH JULY 1926 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Present: Mohamed Abbas Khan Esq,
Honorary President

'P r e s e n t

1. Mr. B V Krishniengar,
2. Mr G. Muniyappa,
3 Mr Bolur Srinivasiengar B A B L ,
4 Mr H Bhadrappa, --
5 Mr S N M Razvi,
6 Mr G Paramasiviah B A LL B ,
7 Mr N G Sanjeeviah,
8. Mr C K Hutchappa,
Mr G Siddavirappah,
Mr B Abdur Rahiman B A ,
Mr. B L Byanna,
Mr. G.B.Raghavendra Char B.A ,
13 Mr R Gopalaswamier,
14 Mr C N Narasinga Rao B A B L
15 Mr S N Sitharama Rao,
16 Mr C Hayavadana Rao B A B L
17 Mr S Venkatarangaiengar,
18 Mr N V Kalyanpur,
19 Mr M Ramachandra Rao Sindia
20 Mr P Subbarama Chetty,
21 Rev W H Thorp B A ,
22 Mr D Venkataramaiah B A L T
23 Mr Mohamed Abbas Khan,
24 Mr P M Basappa.

A b s e n t

Mr W H Hanumantnappa,
Mr M Royan,
Mr P Murugesam Pillay,
4 Mr B N Vijayadeva M A Bar-at-law
5- Mr V A Krishnamurthi Mudaliar, B A
6- Mr M C Chicknanjundappa

Deferred Subject No. 2

"To consider the question of payment of royalty amounting to Rs 270/- per year for installing 3 additional s/treet lights and for increasing the capacity of 6 lights in the Cubbon Park at the request of the Superintendent, Lal Bagh (Vide letterNo M T 6060 dated 10th September 1925 from the Superintendent, B P L) To consider also the propriety of the Municipal - Council paying the annual royalty for all the 54 lights in the Cubbon Park (Vide Honorary President's note dated 3rd April 1926, on the subject "

Resolution -- Resolved that in view of the fact that most of the lights in the Cubbon Park are intended for the sole use of the Public Buildings, Viz ,Secretariat, Public Library Century Club, etc , and that the grounds in the Park are not in charge of the Municipality but entirely under the supervision

supervision of ~~Mm~~ the Superintendent, Lal Bagh, the Government be requested to pay 2/3 of the royalty in respectof 54 lights amounting to Rs 1,800/- a year, the other 1/3 paid by the Municipality. Proposed by Mr. G Paramasivam & seconded by Mr M Ramachandra Rao Sindia

The proposition was carried, 9 voting 'For' and 5 'aga

Sd Mohamed Abba

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SUBJECT.....

Diary No of letter replied to 6031

Section

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Serial No

No. A 733

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To The Chief Engr, Bangalore City,

Thro' the Executive Engr, City Electric Division

Bangalore

Sir,

date of issue 2/9/26

Signed by for T K S

With ref to your letter No 2169 dtd 2/8/26 regarding the payment of royalty payable in respect of 54 electric lights in the Cubbon Park, Bangalore city, I am directed to request you to be so good as to state by whose ~~direction that from~~ letter above is not clear under whose authority the disconnection of 45 lights and the installation of 9 lights around the Band Stand in the Cubbon Park area were executed and why the Chief

over

of enclosures

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Examined by

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Council have agreed to pay one third of
the royalty in view of the fact that
the whole of the Cubbon Park including
the Band Stand is not in charge of
the City Municipal Council, Bangalore. A full history of the case
I have to

Yrs
L. L. Sq

27/8/26

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No To 132
13/1/27

OFFICE OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
Bangalore City Dated 10th January 1926

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From

T GOVINDA RAO ESQ.,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
BANGALORE CITY

REV SECTT
13 JAN 1927
DSE

To

C Ranganatha Rao Saheb, Esq B A B L
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Development Departments, Bangalore

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No L 1733 dated 2nd September 1926, inquiring as to the authority under which the royalty payable on the installation and distribution of 45 lights in the Cubbon Park and 9 lights around the Band Stand in the same area was made and why the Municipal Council have agreed to contribute one-third of the maintenance charge when Park grounds are not under their control, I have the honor state as follows ---

2 Regarding 45 lights --- It is understood that prior to the introduction of Electric lights in the Bangalore City, the Municipality were maintaining 47 Kerosine lights in Cubbon Park and that these were subsequently replaced by 45 Electric lights The Municipality pays a royalty of Rs 0/- per Government Order No 2124-6/M1 108-17-1 dated 10th October 1917

3 As regards 9 lights of high candle power, the correspondence in this Office shows that these nine lamps of high candle power in and round the Band Stand were installed and the power changed from time to time, at the instance of the Government, Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja and the Superintendent of the Government Gardens The maintenance charges were debited to the Municipality by the Electca

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Electrical Department and the Municipality met the costs an observation that the Municipal Council should have been consulted in the matter

4 These lights are installed in a locality over w the Municipality has no control The majority of lights a intended for safe-guarding the Central Offices of the Admin stration It would be equitable if the Government are enough to relieve the municipality of the entire charge of Rs 1,800/- so that this sum may be released for installing lights in the interior parts and lanes of the City Urgent plications for additional lights are being received and the slender resources of the Municipality do not admit of even meeting really needy cases

I have the honour to be

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

Municipal Commissioner.

Forwarded with compliments,

Honorary President

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cf°L 5650/ ... 148-2402
dy. 22 Feb 24

To

The Municipal Commissioner, Bangalore
THROUGH
the President, City Mu[illegible]cil Bangalore

S i r,

With reference to the correspondence -- ending with your letter No 13[illegible] dated the 10t January 192[illegible] regarding the royalty payable o the installation and distribution of 45 --- electric lights in the Cubbon Park and a around the Band Stand in the same area I am directed to state that it is observed that the 45 lights put up in 1917 were in place of 47 kerosine lights which the Municipality were maintaining in the area till then and that - under G O No 2124-6/Rl 108-17-1 dated 10 th October 1917 the Municipality have agreed to pay for the electric lights in the Cubbon Park ~~their~~ existing and to be installed thereafter

~~In this connection I am directed to state that~~ the Cubbon Park being one of the amenities of the City it is the duty of the Municipal Council to maintain it and ~~that~~ the fact that Government are relieving the Municipal Council of a part of the cost of maintaining the Park is no reason for the lighting charges also being borne by Government

In these circumstances Government regret that the request of the Municipality to relieve them of the entire charge on account of the electric lights in question cannot to enable them to utilise the amount for installing --- lights in other parts of the City or to grant them any contribution in this respect cann

P T O

Sanctioned

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